GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
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TIE-UP WITH FOREIGN UNIVERSITIES
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether foreign Universities tie up with Indian Universities and Indian Institutes of Technology;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the number of Universities and IITs which tied up with foreign Universities during 2006-07 & 2007-08; and

(d) the field of studies/research agreed to by both sides?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT(SMT.D.PURANDESWARI)

(a)&(b): Higher Education Institutes including Indian Institutes of Technology are autonomous and are free to enter into collaboration with foreign universities/institutions for academic purposes.They are, therefore, not required to take any approval from the Central Govt. for such collaboration.

(c)&(d): No such record is centrally maintained.